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## Eleventh Annual Summer Fair Record Crowd Attends. Exhibits Compared Favorably with Other Years. Great Increase in Grains, Grasses and Garden Produce Exhibits

Oyon's eleventh annual summer fair, held last Thursday and Friday, was most successful. Favored with ideal weather and conditions, holiday makers turned out in large numbers, and last year's gate was exceeded by over 200 admissions.

### Live Stock

Live stock exhibits at past fairs have always been good, and this year was no exception. Quality was particularly noticeable and exhibits were numerous.

### Hall Exhibits

All classes in the hall exhibits were well contested, although a falling off in number of exhibits in last year's work was noticeable. Grains and Grasses and Roots and Vegetables, however, came into their own this year, and made an exceptionally good showing. Exhibits in many sections of these classes were more numerous than at any previous fair, and the quality was unusually good.

### Sports and Entertainment

A series of good horse races, a slow auto race and a baseball game kept the crowd entertained. Meanwhile, the theatre staged a matinee performance at 5 for those who preferred to be up town early, and ran three continuous shows followed by a grand dance.

## The Prize Winners

### Sports

Baseball—1st Chinook, 2nd Lovena.

Slow auto race—1st W. St. Clair, 2nd Ray Anderson.

(Prizes for the slow auto race donated by Earl Woodward.)

Open running race 1 mile—1st P. J. Schooler, 2nd C. H. Landels, 3rd J. D. Wanger.

Pony running race 1/2 mile—1st E. Severson, 2nd G. P. Gillespie, 3rd R. Wilson.

Novelty race—1st W. McGaffin, 2nd C. H. Landels, 3rd Ray Anderson.

Relay race 1 1/2 miles—1st W. McGaffin, 2nd C. H. Landels, 3rd Ray Anderson.

Ladies open running race 1/2 mile—1st C. H. Landels, 2nd P. J. Schooler, 3rd P. Fryor.

### Horses

Class 1 Saddle for Boys and Girls 1st G. Brown, 2nd Roy Wilson.

Class 2 Saddle for Ladies 1st Art Gibson, 2nd Tom King.

Class 3 Saddle for Gentlemen 1st R. Cates, 2nd F. M. Holden.

Class 4 Carriage and Roadsters 1st Team in harness—1st Tom King, 2nd R. Cates.

2nd Single mare or gelding—1st R. Cates.

Class 5 General Purpose 1st Dry mare or gelding 3 years or over—1st Joe Grey, 2nd Mrs. A. Lockart.

2nd Team in harness 2200 to 2700—1st Joe Grey, 2nd R. Cates.

Class 6 Agriculture 1st Brood mare with foal by side—1st Alex Kennedy, 2nd

Albert Arneson.

Sec 2, 1925 foal—1st F. S. Mc Nee, 2nd Gus Schmitt, 3rd J. Brough.

Sec 3, Dry mare or gelding foaled 1922 or prior—1st Roscoe Kline, 2nd Gus Schmitt, 3rd R. Cates, 4th R. Cates.

Sec 4, Filly or gelding foaled 1923—1st Gus Schmitt.

Sec 5, Filly or gelding foaled 1924—1st O. R. Golden, 2nd J. Grey, 3rd Roscoe Kline.

Sec 6, Team in harness 2700 to 3000—1st J. Grey, 2nd R. Cates, 3rd Thomas Storrar.

### Class 7 Heavy Draft

Sec 1, Brood mare with foal by side—1st J. Grey, 2nd G. S. Peck.

Sec 2, 1925 foal—J. Grey, 2nd G. S. Peck, 3rd J. Brough.

Sec 3, Dry mare or gelding foaled 1922 or prior—1st F. S. Mc Nee, 2nd F. S. Mc Nee, 3rd Gus Schmitt, 4th Howard Cates.

Sec 5, Filly or gelding foaled 1924—1st J. Grey, 2nd G. S. Peck.

Sec 6, Team in harness 3000 or over—1st F. S. Mc Nee, 2nd Howard Cates, 3rd R. Cates.

Class 8 Registered Clydesdale Sec 1, Brood mare with foal by side—1st J. Grey, 2nd J. Grey, 3rd R. Cates.

Sec 2, 1925 foal—1st J. Grey, 2nd R. Cates, 3rd J. Grey.

Sec 3, Dry mare foaled 1922 or prior—1st Howard Cates, 2nd J. Grey.

Sec 4, Filly foaled 1924 1st and medal J. Grey.

Sec 5, Filly foaled 1923 1st J. Grey.

Sec 8, Stallion foaled 1922 1st and medal Tom Abbott.

Class 9 Registered Percheron Sec 1, Brood mare with foal by side—1st H. G. Peck.

Sec 2, 1925 foal—1st H. G. Peck.

Sec 4, Filly foaled 1924—1st H. G. Peck.

Sec 7, Stallion foaled 1923—1st H. G. Peck.

### Cattle

Class 10 Registered Shorthorn Sec 1, Bull born 1923 or prior—1st J. D. Armitstead, 2nd J. McKenzie.

Sec 4, Cow born 1922 or prior—1st and 2nd J. D. Armitstead.

Sec 5, Heifer born 1923—1st and 2nd J. D. Armitstead.

Sec 6, Heifer born 1924—1st and 2nd J. D. Armitstead.

Sec 7, Heifer born 1925—1st and 2nd J. D. Armitstead.

Class 11 Registered Holstein Sec 2, Bull born in 1924—1st D. Warwick.

Class 12 Registered Ayrshire Sec 1, Bull born in 1923 or prior—1st Tom Abbott.

### Grade Cattle

#### Class 15 Dairy

Sec 1, Cow giving milk, born in 1922 or prior—1st Thos Lees 2nd W. A. Bishop, 3rd D. Warwick.

Sec 2, Heifer born in 1923—1st Mrs. T. C. Hess, 2nd D. Warwick.

Sec 3, Heifer born in 1924—1st F. G. Austen, 2nd D. Warwick.

Sec 4, Heifer calf born in 1925 (Concluded on page 2.)

## Harvest Needs

Harvest is almost upon us. You will need the very best of groceries. Our large turnover enables us to buy to best advantage and to keep our stock always fresh.

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The policy of many thousand lumber yards in the Prairie Provinces, is to line-up as far as possible, their fall business, and order from the mills accordingly. This is necessary to avoid carrying unduly large stocks. As it takes from two to three months to get these orders filled, it will be readily seen that the yards which order "light", may not be in a position to fill orders for customers who do not plan ahead.

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## A Shortighted Policy

The shortightedness of some people is proverbial, but it is truly amazing to find a whole organization of men numbering in the hundreds, of thousands, so afflicted. Yet the United States, Canada and Great Britain seem to be not merely temporarily but permanently incapable of seeing that they are surely destroying their own means of livelihood.

Thousands of miners are on strike in Nova Scotia, and another is talk of another great strike on the part of the anthracite miners in the United States and rumbles of another strike in the British mines. In no other industry has there been such continuous unrest and repeated strikes as among the coal miners. "With what result?" The miners themselves would be the last to say that their condition has been improved, while the consensus of opinion is that they are worse off than ever and their future prospects far from bright.

The fact is, and other people realize it. If the miners themselves do not, that a very great change is taking place in the world of manufacturing and in transportation to the detriment of the coal mining industry, and the uncertainty, difficulties and losses created by these frequent and prolonged miners' strikes are only serving to accentuate the problem confronting the coal mining industry and hastening the day when the miners will find themselves in a much more serious predicament than now against which they are making such bitter complaint.

The cost of mining and transporting coal, due largely to the high rates of wages paid the miners and increased freight charges resulting from the increase in wages paid railway operators during the war, and which have been much reduced, together with the rapid improvements effected in fuel-burning machinery and the development of hydro-electric power plants, are one of the greatest developments taking place in the three English-speaking countries, and one calling for the investment of hundreds of millions of new capital annually, is in connection with water power and the erection of huge hydro-electric stations generating hundreds of thousands of horse power. Manufacturing plants, finding the cost of coal mounting and their supplies periodically threatened through miners' strikes, are, in ever increasing numbers, changing over from steam to hydro-electric power.

All over the continent, with cheap electric power, coupled with its convenience and absence of dirt, households are discarding the old kitchen range and installing electric ranges and electric appliances of all kinds. Another and equally important change is being brought about through the conversion of coal-burning ovens and lake going vessels into oil-burners, thus cutting the coal consumption in many cases by one-half.

In the effort to reduce costs and thus meet the increasing competition of motor cars and trucks, the steam railways are electrifying sections of their systems and extending the same from year to year, while rapid railways using electric power are spreading over the land.

These are electric changes, but especially so to the coal operators and miners. Yet the latter are apparently blind to a situation which threatens them, and instead of seeking co-operation with the mine owners in a determined effort to reduce the cost of coal, they continue to make demands which the economic situation makes it impossible for the mine owners to accept, thereby increasing present difficulties, jeopardizing the industry in which they are engaged, and speeding up the movement to substitute oil, gas, electricity and electric energy as the motive power in manufacturing industry, transportation and in home economies.

The miners are shortsightedly adopting the attitude of killing the goose that lays the golden eggs for them. Mines everywhere are the open pits that have been closed for years. There is more unemployment for them, and in view of the impetus already given to the movement to substitute other and cheaper forms of power for coal, the movement to substitute oil, gas, electricity and electric energy as the motive power in manufacturing industry, transportation and in home economies.

## Strange Smoking Competition

Entrants For Annual Paris Event Must Weigh Over 250 Pounds

M. Loubet has just won the strange smoking competition organized annually in Paris by a club known as the "Cent Kilos," whose members are all men of exceptional complexion and must weigh over 100 kilos (over 220 pounds).

"The competition was held to decide who could make one gramme of tobacco last the longest," says M. Loubet, 125 lb. part of an ounce. Each competitor therefore had to put in his pipe as much tobacco as he could be relieved by each of 26 persons sharing an ounce among them.

M. Loubet made this quantity of tobacco last no less a time than 51 minutes 20 seconds, without, of course, the pipe going out.

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## Reported Cancer Discovery

Dr. Mayo of Rochester Says It Is Another Step Forward in Dealing With Malignancy

Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, characterized the reported discovery in London of an infective agent of cancer as merely another step in cancer research toward the ultimate goal—a definite cure for this disease.

"The British discovery is interesting," Dr. Mayo said, "because it behooves us to anticipate another step in the campaign to control of cancer. Many great scientists today are working on the problem."

"German scientists have isolated what they believe to be a germ causing cancer. The same germ has been discovered in New York and Chicago. Something good and hopeful is being achieved at all the time, but nothing definite has yet been accomplished by the scientists everywhere will be inclined to take the conservative view."

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## Defence of Empire

Closer Relations With Dominions Upon Naval Policies Are Favored

During a debate in the British House of Commons on naval estimates, Major L. Horne Holshea, Liberal, suggested, that there should be a more intimate relationship between the Mother Country and the Dominions when the naval problems were settled. The Dominions are not sharing their full share of responsibility in naval matters, Major Holshea said, not because they are unwilling to do so, because the problem probably has never been approached by them from a truly imperial point of view.

Major Holshea's remarks subsequently were endorsed by other speakers, including Mr. Lloyd George. The latter declared that if it were a question of the defence of the empire, the whole empire might share the burdens thereof.

## Earache, Toothache

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These are the sort of ills that call for a powerful and certain remedy. When you get toothache or earache, you want relief and comfort in a hurry. You always get it that quick relief from **Dr. Williams' Pink Pills**. They have proved the unfailing merit of **Dr. Williams' Pink Pills**. Certainly not a single effort to be without a bottle of this dependable medicine. Nervitine is a powerful earache, toothache, earache, etc. Get a 35c bottle from your dealer to-day.

## Protecting Eyes Of Industrial Workers

Gold-screen Glasses Great Boon To Furnace Men

"Gold-screen glasses" are the new contribution of science to the health of industrial workers.

Men forced to work before hot furnaces frequently develop eye troubles as a result of the effects of the heat from the furnace. The intense light and also the presence of ultra-violet rays in the light also has much to do with the case.

The gold-screen glasses are yellow glasses with a thin deposit of gold leaf upon the surface. This deposit reflects the heat waves and keeps the glasses—and the eyes behind them—from becoming too hot.

The glass keeps out the ultra-violet rays.

## CHOLERA INFANTUM

Cholera infantum is one of the fatal diseases of childhood. It is a disease that comes on suddenly, especially during the summer months and unless prompt action is taken the little one may soon be beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets are an ideal medicine in warding off this trouble. They regulate the bowels, ease the stomach and thus prevent the dreaded summer complaints. They are an absolute safe medicine, being guaranteed to contain neither opium nor narcotics, and are child-proof. They cannot possibly do harm—they are sold by most dealers or by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., New York, N. Y.

Under the caption, "A Strange Request," the London Daily Telegraph says Great Britain has declined a proposal from the United States to appoint there a customs attaché, one of whose duties will be to investigate prices asked American exporters for British exports claiming right to inspect the books of the British firms concerned.

A pleasant medicine for children is **Dr. Williams' Worm Expeller**, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

**Silk In Sacramento**

The Sacramento Valley, because of its uniformly mild climate, is believed to be ideal for the growing of silk worms and a large silk worm farm has been started near Orville, Cal.

Dr. H. H. Smith sees you in that!

"Yes, just wait," was the lightly tossed-off answer. "And he likes me!"

"So that's the reason you wear it?"

"Oh, no!" replied Rose sweetly. "That's the reason he likes it!"—New York Sun.

**Tourist Trade Increases**

Canada's largest lake, Huron, its tourist trade, showed an increase of 60,000 in the national parks of Canada for 1921, according to the report of the commissioners.

Huron and Lake Louise showed a combined advance of 15,000 visitors. At Banff, 1,692 persons were issued to camping parties.

**Honey Production**

Honey production in Canada during 1921 is estimated by the bureau of value of \$2,552,400, a considerable increase over the previous year's figure.

Ontario led all other provinces with an approximate output of from 9,000,000 to 10,000,000 lbs.

A newly developed skin dries lumber and at the same time recovers the turpentine from it.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 2

THE EPISTLE OF JAMES

Golden Text: Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only. James 1:25

Lesson: The Book of James. Devotional. Reading: James 1:15-18

The Text Explained and Illumined

Put away anger, verses 19, 20.—The author of this Epistle believes that members of the Christian Church should be "like the Father." Let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath, he counsels. Three things are here required: keenness in listening, deliberation in speaking, control of feeling. We are to be very alert in the first, but the second and third are to be held firm in heart. It is the way of the Master, and it will be found the way of life. O Lord my God, give me the listening ear. Let me miss nothing of all thy counsels. Give me a wise control of speech; let not my words be the servant of mischief" (Dr. J. D. Jones).

For human anger does not promote righteousness, continues James. Men are said to have been known as the Righteous, an appropriate designation for his whole Epistle is a treatise upon righteousness. If justice and wrath is rarely, if ever, justified. Those who pretend to serve God too often interned with other elements and find themselves in the predicament in which it is founded are at fault. The circumstances of the case (W. E. Miller).

The worst thing we can bring to a religious controversy is anger. This is the worst thing we can bring to a concern for what is just and right. A human thing, and the wrath of man stands opposed to the righteousness of God. Those who pretend to serve the cause of God hereby show that they are not his. "Be ye like unto his cause" (Matthew Henry).

## A Huge Undertaking

Great Underground Rail System Is Planned For London

The Daily Graphic says United States capitalists have just completed preliminary plans for giving London the biggest underground railway system in the world.

A network of freight railways, built on the principle of the underground railway system is planned to be built to speed up surface traffic by transferring "right" haulage from the streets to the underground.

In the event of such a system being constructed, goods would be transferred from the ground level to the subway by great elevators, and the trucks would connect with the terminals of the surface railways, as well as the great markets.

The plan needs the sanction of parliament.

## Will Not Establish Base At Esquimaux

British Government Denies Rumor of Base at Esquimaux

The British Government has no proposal looking to the establishment of a naval base at Esquimaux, according to a statement issued by the department of national defence when such a proposal had been made.

It was stated that the point was under consideration from time to time in England that there should be a British naval base on the Pacific coast, but that nothing had been done. The Canadian Government now operates a naval dock yard at Esquimaux.

## Butter Production Increases

Considerable Increase Shown in Saskatchewan Production For May

Butter production in Saskatchewan during the month of May totalled 1,241,522 lbs., as compared with 940,011 lbs. in the same month last year, according to a report of the provincial dairy commissioner. Cumulative production for the first five months of the current year is 5,385,994 lbs., as against 3,522,034 lbs. in the corresponding period of 1921, an increase of 651,950 lbs.

## Social Service

The call of social service is a call to self-sacrifice, and, if anything, it is to save this country from the disaster to which certain principles, preached with the greatest fervor, would commit it. It is the generous service of those who reject the subtle temptation to devote themselves to a narrow guardianship of their own special privileges.—London Daily Telegraph.

## New Liverpool-London Highway

A 226-mile highway will be built in England between London and Liverpool at a cost of \$125,000 a mile. The road is to have no cross roads and will pass through no towns. It will be a straight line, with a straight line and one for fast travel, with no speed limit on the section for fast going. A toll equivalent to a cent the ton will be charged.

## Wagon By New Saint

Arthur Riley, 27, recently made a truck on which a man rode a distance of 52 miles in 13 hours and 23 minutes. The total weight of the truck was 410 lbs. He did the stunt to win a wager.

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## Prince George Will Stay

Takes His Chance in China Like Other Junior Officers

Those who have been expecting the recall of Prince George from China must be sadly ignorant of the traditions of our royal house. If the British naval forces are employed, the prince will be with them, and he will take the rough and tumble of it like any other junior officer. The king is quite alive to the dangers of the situation, but I should imagine that the recall of his son would be his last thought, as it would be the very last thought of any prince. Prince George is a warm devotee, but not a high royal family, at all events, things like that are just "not done."—Glasgow Herald.

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## Luckner To Lecture

Commander of Famous German Sea Raider Would Recite Germany's War

Count Paul von Luckner, who commanded the German raider Seeadler, is to give a lecture on the German naval war, has formed an official "Luckner Alliance." The programme, as announced, calls for the promulgation of a national policy throughout Germany, the raising of Germany's world standing and the training of the youth in the national spirit.

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## ANOTHER POOL PAYMENT TO BE MADE AT ONCE

Winnipeg.—Fifteen million dollars will be paid to members of the Imperial Wharf Pools before August 1, according to an official statement issued by the president of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers, Limited. The second term payment will amount to 20 cents a bushel, on the 1924 crop. The total already distributed to 11,555 a bushel, on the 1924 crop. The final statement intimates that the final instalment will be made some next month.

Due to volume of wheat received by the pool during recent weeks, the 1924 pool was not closed until July 15.

Twenty cents a bushel will be paid on Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Northern, also the toughs on these grades; 16 cents on No. 5, tough 6, and rejected No. 6, tough 6, and rejected of other grades. No payment, the statement says, will be paid at this time on feed and such wheat graded rejected, heated and condemned. Spreads on grades will be adjusted when the final payment is made.

## Prepare To Handle Crop

Distributing Railway Equipment To Grain Loading Plants

Winnipeg.—Extensive preparations for the handling of this year's crop were announced by E. D. Cotterell, transportation officer of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Mr. Cotterell stated that the company would have 675 freight engines in operation in connection with its traffic, in addition to 170 switch engines functioning at terminals. Box cars in readiness, he stated, numbered 40,000, and these, with engines, are being distributed to grain-loading points throughout the west, to be in readiness for the early grain. Extra workers to manipulate the stock are being called out, it being pointed out that large increases in work were necessary, as well as increases in cars and engines.

Cars which have been lying idle for months are being renovated, and men who are accustomed to the work of transferring the heavy shipments of grain are getting into gloves and overalls preparatory to the call.

## May Fill Vacancies In Senate

Two Out of Nine Seats Are For Alberta

Toronto.—A dispatch to The Toronto Mail and Empire under an Ottawa date-line declares that before the prospective Dominion general election, the government will fill the present vacancies in the senate. There are nine seats now vacant, two in the Prince Edward Island group, one in New Brunswick, two in Quebec, one in Ontario and two in Alberta. The Mail and Empire, dispatch mentions Hon. Phillips King, now premier of New Brunswick, as a possible appointee in Prince of Wales Island. Hon. Frank W. C. Buchanan and Hon. Frank Oliver, as possible appointees to the Alberta vacancies.

## Refuses To Accept Diamond Ring

Kimberley, Union of South Africa.—The Prince of Wales, on his arrival, a diamond of 65 carats which was offered to him as a souvenir when he visited the famous De Beers diamond mines. He examined the great gem with keen interest, but smilingly shook his head when it was presented to him. He did accept, however, a stone of 12 carats.

## Regina Oil Warehouse Destroyed

Regina, Sask.—In the city's spectacular fire, the warehouse of the Canadian Oil Companies, Ltd., McInnes and Sixth Avenue, was completely destroyed, along with the main building, about 11 o'clock last night. Only the most strenuous efforts on the part of firemen were the flames kept from a row of oil tanks and cars.

## Strike Among Chinese Crew

Victoria.—A dispatch to the Chinese crew of the Canadian Pacific Company's steamer Empress of Australia went on strike and deserted the vessel. The remainder of the crew, the Chinese crew is expected to desert when the vessel reaches Kobe, to which port she enroute from Vancouver. Japanese are being employed to replace the strikers.

## Geta Unique Permit

Topka, Kas.—A. F. Wilson, U. S. district attorney, didn't like it when a guard ordered him not to sit on a state capital steps one night. He protested to the government and received permission to sit on the steps until 11 o'clock every night if he desires.

## Many Guests Attend Royal Garden Party

Grounds At Buckingham Palace

Thronged With Visitors  
London.—One of the most successful and colorful royal garden parties given since the war was held in the beautiful grounds of Buckingham Palace, July 21, with King George and Queen Mary as hosts to seven thousand of their subjects and distinguished guests from foreign countries. Their Majesties greeted as many guests as possible as they moved about in separate directions through the crowds of well-groomed men and fashionably gowned women. King George wore a grey morning suit and a grey top hat. He had a white carnation in his buttonhole. Queen Mary was charmingly dressed in pale heliotrope trimmed with pearl ornaments and carried a heliotrope parasol.

## Held Day At Ellis Island

Englishman With Proper Passport

New York.—In protest against the treatment he received at Ellis Island, where he and his wife were held an entire day, although they came with passports, Ralph Adams, an English business man, said he will leave the United States.

Adams said he had bought student tickets on the Levantian with the definite understanding he would not be held at Ellis Island. He and eight other non-American tourists travelling in student class, all with passports, were taken off the Levantian and held at Ellis Island, and subjected to medical examinations which he termed "humiliating in the extreme sense."

Mr. Adams said he intended to take the matter up with the British consul, and also with the United States line.

## Evolution On Trial

Another Court Action In U. S. Has Commenced

Washington.—An action which may throw the whole evolution question into the federal courts for judicial determination as to whether the teaching of this scientific theory constitutes trespass for the Holy Bible was commenced today in the federal court at St. Louis. The case is brought by the American Creation Society, a religious organization, against the University of Missouri, which is a secular institution. The case is brought by the American Creation Society, a religious organization, against the University of Missouri, which is a secular institution. The case is brought by the American Creation Society, a religious organization, against the University of Missouri, which is a secular institution.

## Alberta Willing to Take Part

Will Participate in Conference on Question of Succession Duties

Edmonton.—The Alberta Government will take part in a conference which is being proposed to hold in the near future the question of succession duties. Attorney-General Brownlee has replied to a suggestion brought by Premier Bracken of Manitoba, who is strongly desirous of having a conference, to the effect that Alberta will be ready and willing to participate at any time and place as may be arranged.

## No Cattle Shipments

By St. Lawrence Route

Not Sufficient Money in Business Say Shipping Companies  
Montreal.—Local shipping companies have announced they will not place any more cattle ships on the St. Lawrence route to England, in spite of the shortage of space that is causing many complaints from exporters, because it does not pay them. "They cannot make sufficient out of the business of conveying Canadian cattle to the British market."

## Fatal Automobile Accident

St. Catharines.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rodgers, of Oxford, Sask., were both killed in a crossing accident here when their light sedan was struck by the Comet, the Northern Pacific east-bound Yellowstone Park special, on West St. Germain Street.

Mrs. Rodgers was instantly killed and her husband died as the ambulance reached the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers were on their way to Noyah, Minn.

## Rounding Up Wild Horses

Calgary.—Hundreds of wild horses, numbers of which have never had a bit in their mouths or a saddle on their backs, are being rounded up by the Canadian Mounted Police. The Indian Big Game stamps that the horses are going to stage III at the Sarcee Reservation, August 5.

## Alberta Oil Strike

Foremost Field Is Coming Into Prominence Through Recent Developments

Calgary.—Oil in considerable quantity was struck in the number five gas well in the Foremost field of the Canadian Western Natural Gas and Power company, early last June. It has just become known here, says a special dispatch to the Herald. The oil strike was kept a dead secret and in the interim officials and employees of the gas company have filed on thousands of acres surrounding the Foremost structure.

The oil was struck at a depth of 2,902 feet. It rose about one hundred feet in the hole, covering the sixty-foot string of tools and about forty feet additional to the cable.

Acting under company orders the drillers were sworn to secrecy, drilled on through the producing sand, ceased it off, baled out the oil and then drilled on down to the gas sand at 2,600 feet.

## POWERS HOPE TO SOLVE PROBLEM OF CHINA SOON

Washington.—Substantial accord has been reached by the powers of a formula to deal with the whole Chinese problem.

Formal acquaintance in some elements of the problem still is lacking, but the Peking diplomats are expected to be in a position to accept the formula to the provisional government of China at an early date.

The settlement to be proposed will include the Washington conference plan for revision of Chinese customs duties and creation of a commission of inquiry into extra-territorial questions; and also the British proposal for a new judicial inquiry into the responsibility for loss of lives in the recent Shanghai incident.

The plan for dealing with the Shanghai incident is expected to be contingent upon participation by the Peking Government in the inquiry and agreement by that government to be bound by the findings of the investigation.

## Bank Merger Accomplished

No Dissenting Vote Received From Union Bank Shareholders

Winnipeg.—The transfer of the business and assets of the Union Bank of Canada to the Royal Bank of Canada became an accomplished fact when the formal consent of the shareholders of the Union Bank was given to the transfer at a special meeting held at the head office here.

The vote revealed a complete concurrence in the steps taken by the directors. More than 67,000 votes were cast, personally or by proxy, out of a total of 80,000 eligible, and all were in favor of the resolution, without one dissenting vote.

## Wisconsin Man Has Disappeared In London

Professor Was Delegate to Educational Convention In Edinburgh

London.—A 24-hour search by Scotland Yard failed to reveal even a trace of Professor J. Victor Collins, of Stevens Point, Wis., delegate to the World Federation of Educational Associations, who disappeared here.

Professor Collins had intended to take a late train for Edinburgh, where the educational convention is in session. He went to the station to board his railway ticket, and was the last his daughter saw of him.

## Wage War On Grasshoppers

Victoria, B.C.—Vast armies of grasshoppers are doing damage to crops in the square miles in central British Columbia, the department of agriculture is doing its utmost to control the pest. An order-in-council to the government has voted \$15,000 for poison, which will be distributed to the farmers for use in the affected areas.

## COAL STRIKES THREATENED IN BRITAIN AND U.S.

London.—A possibility of a great coal strike was increased when the miners refused to confer with owners unless the latter first withdraw their proposals for a new contract.

The attitude of the miners was expressed when the Miners' Federation announced this morning its refusal of the conference proposed by the owners. Previously hopes had been entertained that the two interests might get together around a conference table and avert the threatened strike.

Evian Williams, chairman of the Coal Owners' Association, wrote A. J. Cook, secretary of the Miners' Federation, suggesting a conference. The recent action refuses that suggestion.

The existing working agreement between the miners and the owners in Great Britain expires July 31. The owners have announced the conditions upon which they renew the agreement. The miners say their conditions involve lower wages or longer hours and the Miners' Federation has advised the owners to refuse to work under the proposed terms.

Atlantic City, N.J.—A nation-wide coal strike unless the government intervenes to prevent shipment of wage contracts in northern West Virginia is threatened by Van A. Bittner, chief representative of the United Mine Workers in that district.

## Annual Dinner Called Off

Rhodes Trustees Will Not Entertain Scholars This Year

Oxford, Eng.—The annual dinner given by the Rhodes trustees to the Rhodes scholars will be omitted this year because of the death recently of Lord Milner. It is thought the cost of the annual dinner will not be revised until the new building, which is to be the Oxford headquarters of the Rhodes Trust, is completed.

Past dinners have been notable for the presence of the speakers. English statesmen, including the prime minister, making them occasions for announcements of their views on Anglo-American and Empire questions.

## Report Traces Of Rust

University of Saskatchewan Professor Does Not Expect Much Damage

Winnipeg.—Traces of rust starting on wheat have been observed in the district, according to the statement of Prof. Manley Champlin, head of the department of field husbandry at the University of Saskatchewan. What rust that has been seen on the leaves. None has been seen on the stems of the wheat as yet, he said. With favorable weather, it is not likely to develop enough to hurt any of the early crops, the professor stated.

## Elected By Acclamation

Prince Albert—Denkai Alexander, of Prince Albert and Lac la Ronge, was elected an acclamation by the directors of the Cumberland constituency at Prince Albert, when his was the only name in nomination. The return of Mr. Hall assures the government of 51 supporters against a combined opposition of 11, with a la Crosse still to vote.

## Ship Paper to New Zealand

Port Arthur, Ont.—The Port Arthur branch of the Provincial Paper Mills Limited, shipped a cartload of book paper to Christchurch, New Zealand. Further shipments will be made from time to time to the same destination. Orders for four cartloads of this high quality product are now on hand.

## Harvesting Fall Rye

Brandon, Man.—The first fall rye has been harvested in this district, and cutting will be general in a week's time. The crop is likely to be a fairly good one, and is ripening rapidly.

## Argentine Plans For Reception Of Prince

Twelve Thousand Men Will Take Part In Military Parade

Buenos Aires.—Argentina is making preparations for receiving the Prince of Wales, notwithstanding that, according to present arrangements, he will not reach here by his south American visit until mid-August. He will come to Buenos Aires aboard the British cruiser Curlew, transferring to that warship at Montevideo, Uruguay, from the battleship Repulse, aboard which he will come from South Africa. This change is necessary as the Repulse is unable to enter the port of Buenos Aires because of its heavy draft.

The Curlew has sailed from Pernambuco, Brazil, for Montevideo, to await the arrival of the Prince, due there on August 16.

The official programme in honor of the heir to the British throne will include a military parade in which 12,000 men of the Argentine army and navy will have a part, and a display of 40 military aircraft.

In order to familiarize himself with the city of Buenos Aires, the Prince's private chauffeur has already arrived.

## Conquering Of Mount Logan

Messages of Congratulation Received For Magnificent Feat Of Expedition

Vancouver.—Messages of congratulation on the magnificent feat of the Canadian Alpine Club's expedition in conquering Mount Logan have been pouring in to C. Wheeler, at Banff, director of the Alpine Club of Canada. The achievement of Captain McCarthy, Lieut.-Col. W. W. Foster, and their companions is regarded in mountaineering circles of the world as one which called for dauntless courage and the most skillful organization.

Among the messages received by Wheeler were one from Ottawa, which was already recently received, relating a message from Right Hon. L. C. Amery, secretary of state for dominion affairs, himself an enthusiastic mountaineer, who attended the Canadian Alpine Club's camp at Lake Louise in 1909.

## SECURITY NOTE OF GERMANY IS NOW CONSIDERED

Paris.—The French Government has been careful consideration of the German security note presented to the allies, and will get in touch as possible with the various countries interested to determine the policy to be followed in carrying out. It is the decision the negotiations with the German Government for a security pact guaranteeing the western frontiers of Germany. This exchange of views will require many days and consequently the conversation with Germany through her ambassadors, either at Paris or London, which can begin only after the close of interallied examination of the note, will not start for some time to come.

## Change In Pensions Measure Resisted

Proposed Amendment to Bill Discussed in British House

London.—In spite of appeals from several quarters of the House of Commons, the government successfully resisted a proposed amendment to the Widows and Orphans and Old Age Pensions Bill, to the effect that pensions should be paid to those entitled to pensions who are going to reside in other parts of the empire. On behalf of the government, it was stated that administrative difficulties rendered the proposal impracticable, and that the bill was being taken to make a reciprocal arrangement with any dominion that instituted a similar scheme, while a man's pension rights could be transferred into a dominion scheme working in conjunction with the British scheme.

## RENEW CAMPAIGN FOR COMPLETION OF H.B. RAILROAD

Winnipeg—Abrogation of the Crow's Nest Pass freight rates schedule, effective from July 23, has inspired the Manitoba Government to renew its campaign for completion of the Hudson Bay Railway, according to a statement issued by Premier Bracken.

Members of the legislature, representing all groups, will be invited at an early date to go over the line at the end of steel, then by the Nelson River, to the port. The premier points out that in view of the fact that the west has lost the Crow's Nest rates, except insofar as they affect output during wheat and flour, the necessity of giving the Hudson Bay Railway out a fair trial has now become of vital interest to western Canada.

## Canadian Pavilion Struck By Lightning

Damage to Wembley Building Estimated at Several Hundred Pounds

London.—The Canadian pavilion at Wembley was struck by lightning in the course of a violent thunderstorm. The damage is estimated at several hundred pounds.

Lightning struck the northwest corner of the pavilion. The whole structure was knocked out and the mass of debris went crashing through the skylight into the offices below. There was a very heavy rain during the storm, and the water in the building was badly damaged. Fortunately, no person was injured and no building did not take fire.

The night watchman and officials in the Canadian pavilion at the time describe the noise of the thunder as being like the firing of heavy artillery. Workmen are busily engaged repairing the damage to the tower.

## Viscount Allenby May Succeed Lord Byng

Recently Retired An English Hero

Ottawa.—The Ottawa Citizen prints the following dispatch under a London, England, date-line: "The news of the world says it is rumored that Field Marshal Viscount Allenby may succeed Lord Byng of Vly as governor-general of Canada."

Viscount Allenby recently retired as high commissioner for Great Britain in Egypt, a post which he filled with conspicuous success, following his notable services during the Great War, when he was commander-in-chief of the British armies in Egypt. The success of his campaign in Mesopotamia and Palestine forms one of the most brilliant chapters of the struggle.

## Boost Wheat Prices

United States Expects To Get Higher Price For Wheat Than Canada

Washington.—Secretary of Agriculture Jardine predicted that the United States wheat price this year will be "satisfactory," and well above the Canadian price.

The tariff will work when we are not exporters," the secretary said. He said he did not expect a surplus supply of wheat this year, owing to a short crop in the winter wheat belt.

## Advertising Canada

London.—From one Canadian pavilion alone at Wembley nearly two tons of literature with regard to Canada were distributed in one day, when 10,000 pounds of the schools here were guests of the corporation of London at the British Empire Exhibition, and practically none of this was thrown away by the countless visitors.

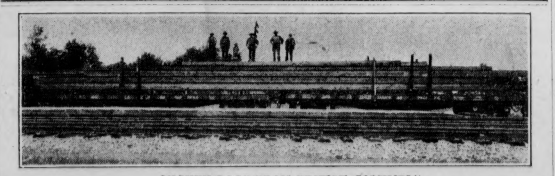
## British Naval Programme

London.—It is reported that the cabinet exists over the cruiser question ended in a victory for the admiralty at Wednesday's cabinet meeting. Navy ministers had and cabinet decided to comply with the admiralty's modified demand for the building of four vessels this year and three next year.

## Plane Carries Treaty Money

Ottawa.—Over 1,000 Indians of James Bay district received their treaty money with unprecedented promptness this year. The trip to distribute the treaty money actually takes over two months. This year, the work was accomplished in three weeks by means of a seaplane of the Ontario Provincial Air Service.

A tonnage bill filled with nitrogen was sent to the market by a British firm.



MIGHTY LOGS FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA

A record-breaking consignment of Douglas Fir logs which arrived recently at Dorval, Quebec, over the Canadian Pacific line direct from New Westminster, B.C. The load consisted of 1,000 logs, some of which were so long that three flat cars were required to carry them. Of the twenty-nine, 12 were 90 feet long, one was ninety feet, 12 were 52 feet, and 4 were 47 feet long, while the load weighed 86,653 pounds. The lumber is intended for an eastern firm of contractors.



## Exporting Raw Material

Exportations Appear to Constat Mainly of Agricultural Products

Will talk about Canada exporting material in a raw state and buying back the manufactured product it now supports by the figures. In the year 1921, 42.4 per cent. of our exports were classified as raw materials while the percentage in the United States was 35.7, not a great difference when one considers the statistics obtained by our neighbors and the home market created by a population of about 114,000,000.

Furthermore, it is to be borne in mind that the so-called raw material exported consists mainly of agricultural products. In 1921, for instance the total export of Canada were valued at \$1,945,000,000. More than half the exports originated on Canadian farms. There were so much the products of skilled labor as the output of the factories. They gave employment to more than half the workers of Canada, and maintained a livelihood of 1,345,911 men, women and children. It is absurd to speak of this gigantic industry as being those of the clitics and towns. Anybody who thinks that wheat or cattle can be raised by unskilled labor would speedily change his opinion after a few months' practical experience.—The Toronto Globe.

## Feeding Visitors to Wembley

Bakery Works Day and Night to Supply Needs

One of the most striking sights at Wembley exhibition is a bakery that works incessantly day and night to supply the needs of the hundreds of fair. The bakery has been designed to supply bread, rolls, and pastries of all kinds to the cafes and restaurants, thus obviating the trouble of carrying large quantities of food supplies to the exhibition. Sixteen steam-powered ovens have been installed in the bakery. In a fire-bell held each pair of ovens is a small fire of smokeless coke. Along the roof of the ovens is a series of tubes, which are sealed, and in these tubes is water, which, heated by the coke fire, circulates and provides the necessary cooking heat. Rolls, moulded by machine, are taken from the ovens and are taken to the electric bakers, which are capable of cutting and buttering 20,000 slices of bread in a day; and electric potato peeling and cleaning machines, each dealing with a ton of potatoes in an hour.

## United States Annexes Island

Bit of Land Off North Coast of Africa Of No Value

Swain's Island, about 200 miles north of Africa, and off the coast of the Samson group, is the latest acquisition of the United States, provision for the last session of Congress.

English maps include Swain's, under one or another of its several names; in the Toledan group, and put a ring around the whole aggregation, within which runs the label "British." It does not appear, however, that Britain has ever made any official assertion of sovereignty over Swain's Island in particular. The better known islands of the Toledan group are little larger than Swain's and they lie far to the north of it. About 130 miles of open ocean separate it from Paksan, the nearest land under distinctly British rule.

The United States will gain nothing by its new acquisition, but it will assert its law and order to a handful of people too few to support a government of their own and too numerous to be kept down to not along permanently without regular authority to appeal to to keep their relations in order.

## Why the Change?

Can anyone explain how it is that the average man, when on foot, sees a lady approach, and then, instead of then, will invariably stop aside and allow her to cross first, and when the same man, in an auto, sees a lady approaching an intersection, will invariably turn his horn and sell post without stopping his horn and sell post, or stopping to allow the lady to cross first.—Kingston Standard.

## New Profession For Women

Growing courage of the West Indies is not a profession that has attracted many women, but Miss Nettie Hamel-Smith, a young English woman, says it is the ideal life. She employs sixty native laborers and operates over a hundred acres devoted to cocoa.

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## More Hens But Fewer Eggs

Requirements of World Have Decreased in Last Two Years

The poultry production map of the world has undergone remarkable changes in the past 15 years. Everywhere, possibly except Russia, flocks seem to have increased, but the number of eggs in world commerce has diminished.

Commerce figures of the various countries show that fifteen years ago about 700,000,000 dozen of eggs in the shell were required, while in 1923 only 460,000,000 were needed.

In 1910 Russia exported 24,000,000 dozen of eggs; England imported 235,000,000 dozen, and Germany 275,000,000. England still takes about the same number, but Germany has practically faded out of the picture. China now holds first rank as an exporting nation with about 90,000,000 dozen.

Each country is now more nearly producing its own requirements. The eggs that do get into commerce are largely of the cold storage method. The storing demands of our population for eggs have cut each year without any special change in quality.

In 1910 the production of eggs in the U. S. was 1,225,000,000 dozen. By 1923 production had jumped to more than 2,200,000,000 dozen.

This figures out to about 20 dozen eggs a year for every person, a tremendous high average and one that indicates widespread prosperity.

It does not seem likely that home consumption can be very much increased or that other countries are in a position to absorb large quantities of eggs at present prices. The world's poultry map does not indicate age expansion of production at this time.—Country Gentleman.

## Cracks in Concrete

Knit Automatically

Joins Formed Are Even Stronger Than Undisturbed

Concrete that has been cracked will knit together again, according to tests just completed by Prof. Duff A. Abrams at Lewis Institute. These tests were said to be the first of this type.

Concrete specimens were cracked, and restored after eight years' exposure to the weather were found to be more than one-quarter times as strong as they were when the original test was made. When they were exposed to the weather, the cracks were filled with a high pressure had disappeared. It was known that concrete gained strength with age, but Prof. Abrams' test gave definite knowledge concerning the healing properties of concrete which was kept moist.

Five cracks which appeared in a test concrete highway bridge, when it was subjected to a tremendous load, after closed up. The cracks were carefully mapped and photographed after two preliminary tests had been made. A year later when the bridge was again overloaded, the cracks, comparison revealed that many of the old cracks did not reopen, but new cracks appeared.

Prof. Abrams stated that his conclusion was due to the healing of the cracks and the forming of a joint even stronger than the unbroken concrete.

## Problem Of Earth's Age

Scientists Hope to Be Able to Arrive At Estimate

How old is the earth? This is one of the problems along the frontier of science.

The national research council has appointed a committee called the committee on the determination of earth's age through scientific investigation to study the matter.

We know that radio-active elements are disintegrating or giving off rays. This uranium in time becomes radium and radium in time becomes lead.

The rate at which this disintegration goes on is always constant. Thus, if a rock is found which contains both uranium and lead, the lead must have originally been uranium and we can calculate how long it would take the change to occur.

The age of a uranium deposit at Lunx, Wyo. is calculated to be 32,000,000 years old on this basis. One in Ontario, Canada, is at least 1,500,000 years old.

More study of this sort, it is thought, may enable scientists to estimate the age of the world.

## Prefers South Sea Islands

Manila Pioneer Has Explored Tropical Land in His Own Boat

"Citizens in the South Sea Islands, or outposts in western Canada," will give me the cannibals every time! I never was much at farming."

This was the assertion of Frank Burnett, who came to Winnipeg first in 1890 and knows all about the oxen and Red River cart means of transportation. Recently he appeared again in the Manitoba capital, this time travelling by railway.

"I am a savage at heart," Mr. Burnett proclaimed, adding that after a period of unsuccessful farming, he had obeyed the appeal of "his savage instincts." "I realized that the only way to explore the South Sea Islands properly was by having my own boat. I acquired an 85-ton schooner, had it fitted as a yacht and, accompanied by my family, set sail. When we reached Honolulu after 43 days of the worst weather that could be imagined, I took on a crew of six Polynesians and then for ten months was disappointed, as far as civilization was concerned.

"The idea that cannibalism is extinct is quite wrong," Mr. Burnett stated. "The Pappans present it just as much as they did in the fifteenth century." In 1910, when Mr. Burnett last saw the Solomon Islands, it was in company with a trading party of 45 men. While he was there, seven of the party were killed and eaten by the natives. There were also the head-hunting Dicks and the Polynesians to be contended with. Neither, however, were cannibals.

During these South Sea travels, Mr. Burnett has collected a variety of souvenirs, including several heads, well preserved. This collection has been presented to the University of British Columbia.

Despite his 73 years, Mr. Burnett will venture upon another trip to tropical lands. He proposes to start on the trip this fall.

## Zoo's Greatest Attraction

People Are Almost Fascinated By Antics of Monkeys

As in every great zoo, those of the London Zoo, London, England, Paris, the monkey house is also the greatest attraction at the Bronx Zoo.

The monkeys are the greatest attraction for the human species in the animal kingdom. They are the only animals that are intelligent enough to be called in. The object of interest was a gray-colored fellow with face of a great-grandfather who had got out of a flapper's hat and was trying it on before tearing it to pieces and sharing it with the members of his long-tailed household.

## New League Secretary

Sir George Foster, president of the League of Nations Society of Canada, announced that Lieut.-Col. C. P. Meredith, formerly of the Canadian Engineers, will take over the duties of secretary of the League of Nations Society of Canada on the retirement, next month, of H. O. Richardson, who has held the post for the last two years, but finds it necessary to relinquish it.

## Woman Explored French Congo

Mme. Gabrielle Baud has just returned from an exploration trip of the French Congo, in which she visited sections never before invaded by white people.

The above picture shows most of the one hundred French-Canadian school teachers of the University of Montreal, who left Windsor Station early in July on a three weeks educational excursion across the country. Seated in the centre of the group is Mayor Duquette, of Montreal, with Monsieur V. J. Pettie, rector of the University of Montreal, who was in charge of the party, on his right.

## To Control Weeds

Weed Suppression and Control by Ploughing and Cultivation

Relative to control and suppression of weeds the Dominion field husbandry (Mr. R. H. Hopkins) advises that in the case of three or four years' rotation, consisting of one year in corn or other inter-tillable crop, one year in grain, one or two years in hay, that for the inter-tillable crop the land should be thoroughly prepared and the crop annually cultivated. In the four-year rotation the timothy sod can be ploughed by August 1, but in the case of the three-year rotation, where two cuttings of clover are harvested, the ploughing will not be possible until about September 1. Where couch grass is present, or any other weeds having underground root-system, it is important to get the land ploughed early and to cultivate it throughout the remainder of the fall.

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## Beefsteak Was Expensive

Sold For \$48 a Pound During Klondike Gold Rush

In a town of Alaska, which, during the Klondike gold rush, sprang up almost in a night, the first beefsteak reached its cost for \$48 a pound. It was 10-lb. steak which had been shipped from 500 miles away.

When the precious bit of meat reached the camp the miners turned out in a body to see it. It was valued as much as an elephant. Every body wanted a piece of the steak, and the result of the rivalry for its possession might have been a riot if it had not been decided to raffie it for the benefit of the miners' hospital.

The ticket carrying the privilege of drawing for a slice were sold at prices from fifty cents to two dollars fifty cents. After four hundred and thirty-nine tickets had been sold the drawing began, and, to the relief of those in charge of the sale, no trouble resulted.

## Anchor Door Key Presented to Prince

Presented to Prince of Wales on His Visit to South Africa

More than one gratifying surprise has awaited the Prince of Wales, who spent his 21st birthday in South Africa. On arriving at Pieterburg, the capital of the Orange Free State, the prince was informed that he would be asked to accept the key to his own palace of St. James. It seemed unbelievable. The anchor door-key has been given, it appears, by Lord Denby, groom of the Stole to George III, to Lady Charlotte Finch, a member of the royal household. The lady, in turn, bequeathed it to a relative, an ancestor of Miss Lawrence, of Pieterburg, and Miss Lawrence has now handed it to the Prince, personally, in a South African made casket.

## B.C. Honey Crop

An official report just completed gives facts about B.C. apiculture and shows that the honey crop for the 1924 season and the other information as at the end of 1923.

The total honey crop was 339½ tons against 214½ tons for the preceding year. In 1920 the crop was not quite 113 tons; in 1919 it was 172½ tons; in 1921 just over 154½ tons; and in 1922, the bumper crop year, 354½ tons.

## Letter Delayed Thirty Years

Written in January, 1896, Has Just Reached Edmonton

Intimations that he had been granted a substantial advance in salary, failed to arouse Sheriff Peter Gunn of Edmonton, to any unusual pitch of enthusiasm. Not that he did not appreciate the generosity of his employer, but rather to the fact that he will never reap the fruit of the "increase."

He was notified of his salary rise in a communication from the north country, but—here's the catch—it was written 30 years ago. By some trick of fate the letter had gone astray, but reached Mr. Gunn after such a long lapse of time in an excellent state of preservation.

The letter is dated January 6, 1896, and was written by Ewen Macdonald, at that time manager of the Peace River district for the Hudson's Bay Company. Peter Gunn, then comparatively young, was employed at the company's post at Lesser Slave Lake. This had been the station of Macdonald since dead, inform Mr. Gunn, in the letter that his "services have been highly satisfactory" and that as a result, he has been awarded a "magnificent" increase in English pound sterling. Just how much the "magnificent" increase amounts to, Mr. Gunn declined to divulge, but it was so small or so large that it caused the sheriff to chuckle.

The letter reached Edmonton in a strange manner. An accompanying note intimated that the communication had been found by a forest ranger, close to the Hudson's Bay post at Dauphin, among a pile of old documents, diaries and books. The document had been found by a forest ranger, close to the Hudson's Bay post at Dauphin, among a pile of old documents, diaries and books. The document had been found by a forest ranger, close to the Hudson's Bay post at Dauphin, among a pile of old documents, diaries and books.

## Sleep Can Be Measured

Scientists Have Different Means For Testing Depth of Sleep

Persons differ very greatly in their mode of slumber. Some awaken at the slightest noise, while others Mr. Gunn declined to divulge, but it was so small or so large that it caused the sheriff to chuckle.

## One Step Removed

A minor experiment which had gone down into the lower levels to talk to a crew of men imprisoned by a cave-in, was getting their last meal.

"George," he shouted to one colored miner, through a narrow aperture, "are you satisfied?"

"Nousuh," answered a lugubrious voice, "dis hiah an do wusien fah Ah oven been in yet."

## Dyes to Trace Streams

Subterranean streams in Mammoth Cave, Louisville, Ky., are being traced by means of dyes placed in the water.

## Will Probe Arctic History

MacMillan Aids Historical Research Work to Other Tasks

When Commander Donald R. MacMillan left on his Arctic expedition he offered to wager that he again would see the whole coast of Labrador. Once in 17 years has MacMillan seen his life on the ice because of the ocean he saw it to be a line of enormous, unbroken rocks.

Beside the work to be done in the polar territory, MacMillan hopes to shed more light on early North American history. The first chapter in an American history generally says that the Norsemen were the first to visit this continent. Back of Diago in Greenland are the ruins of 129 farm houses and 21 churches, believed to be a community established in one of the expeditions during the time of Erik the Red. On the island of Turnorik off the coast of Labrador there are other ruins which may once have been the homes of the same race. MacMillan will compare his findings to determine if they were of the same origin. He will also hope to find the Eskimos have told him were exterminated in battles with their centuries ago.

## Beyond 66 Degrees North Latitude

It is twilight or daylight throughout the 24 hours at this season of the year. Fog is rare, visibility is excellent, and with an altitude of about 10,000 feet, MacMillan expects ideal mapping and photographic results. On most days vision is limited only by the horizon.

## May Make Artificial Rubber

Chemists, Through Experiments, Can Easily Discover Formula

Rubber, in conditions suited to its growth, is not especially hard to produce. It is simply a matter of finding a place where it will grow. There is no limit to the potential supply. How much rubber is available depends on the position of the rubber tree on the ground's surface. Hence rubber has been a relatively cheap commodity ever since man discovered it and began putting it to work.

This being so, chemists generally have felt no great urge to attempt the production of synthetic rubbers. It is only in the last few years that natural supply during the war, the chemists worked out a process for producing rubber artificially. Whether this creation was produced more or less cheaply than natural rubber is not known. It is known, at least, that chemists are thoroughly aware of the chemical nature of rubber and that there is nothing incredible in the thought that any group of capable rubber chemists anywhere can discover the formula for the synthetic article if they keep on experimenting.

## Why Queen Victoria Dinked Weymouth

Local Bodies Held Her Father's Body Until Death Was Reported

It may seem strange to speak of royal prices of England suffering from actual starvation. But when Queen Victoria's father, the Duke of Kent, died suddenly at Weymouth, his local creditors would not permit the removal of the remains of London for the final obsequies, or the departure of his widow and only daughter, Princess Victoria, until his liabilities there had been discharged after some delay by his brother, the then Prince Regent. His daughter, Queen Victoria, never forgot or forgave this incident. And throughout her long reign of over sixty years, Weymouth, formerly the favorite seaside resort of the members of the royal house, remained in her blackest hours, almost absolutely declined to ever visit the town and discouraged her relatives and all the members of her court from doing so.

## American Editors Coming

The American Agricultural Editors Association, including representatives of one hundred of the largest farm journals in the United States, will visit Victoria, Canada, in September. This party represents journals with a combined circulation of more than eight million copies. They will travel west to the coast by a special Canadian Pacific train.

## Would Make Germany Dry

466,000 votes for prohibition were placed on the table in front of the speaker's stand of the Reichstag by the vote of the German Diet. It is hoped will eventually place Germany in the dry column. The unique petition was a ten-day party card canvas of Germany.



The above picture shows most of the one hundred French-Canadian school teachers of the University of Montreal, who left Windsor Station early in July on a three weeks educational excursion across the country.

Seated in the centre of the group is Mayor Duquette, of Montreal, with Monsieur V. J. Pettie, rector of the University of Montreal, who was in charge of the party, on his right.

## French-Canadian Teachers Start Tour Across Canada

The trip, which covered the run across Canada to Victoria and Vancouver and return, was the first of its kind ever undertaken by an all-French-Canadian institution. A similar expedition, under the auspices of the Teachers' Federation of Canada, left Toronto on July 26 to visit all the important scenic and business centres between Ontario and the Pacific coast.



WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Three American military regiments have accepted invitations to visit Great Britain and France next May.

The former German Crown Prince recently journeyed from Berlin to Breslau in an aeroplane.

One thousand horses are estimated to be ill with or convalescing from influenza in Montreal.

The most powerful lightships in the world have been erected at Dijon, France, to enable aeroplanes to check their direction and location.

Exchanges done by Queen Victoria are being exhibited in London for the first time, the Queen having been a pupil of Lancaster.

The French and Belgian forces of occupation are rapidly evacuating the rich territory of the Ruhr region in Westphalia.

William Galbraith, a planter of northern Saskatchewan and for many years manager of the Hudson's Bay store at Prince Albert, died recently after a long illness.

An Okanagan apple crop of 1,852,800 boxes, compared with last year's yield of 2,160,500 boxes, is the latest estimate by the horticultural department of British Columbia.

The epidemic of influenza in Fort Yukon, Alaska, has reached serious proportions, according to the Pacific branch office of the American Red Cross.

A rumor persists in Ottawa that J. H. H. Ramsay MacDonald, leader of the British Labor party, is to visit Canada this year. His visit, as planned, it is understood, would be of a private nature.

Due to the great decrease in the number of partridge, the Ontario department of game and fisheries has declared a closed season for partridge, prairie fowl, wild turkey, quail or pheasants in the Port Arthur-Brampton district.

The hatch furnishings of the "Car" famous personal dining room will go to the United States, according to a Morning Post dispatch from London, which says a famous American bid \$500,000 for the outfit and got it.

## The Bonne Entente

Two Races That Can Each Contribute to the Greatest of Goals.

Little by little the number of people who see things as they really are grows greater, who recognize the advantage to Canada in having two great races destined to live alongside one another, and to bring to the profit of their country the combined strength which are the peculiar heritage of each. The "Bonne Entente" has been established as rapidly as one could wish, but it is making progress. Years are required, perhaps centuries, to cement such unions; but that they are cemented in time is an undoubted fact.—*Acacia Catholic (Quebec).*

## Received Canadian Flowers

Queen Mary Presented With Basket of Peonies From Montreal

Beautiful bouquets of Canadian peonies have been presented to Queen Mary, Princess Mary and Dame Margaret Lloyd George. The peonies are part of a shipment of three thousand peonies sent to Wembley exhibition from Montreal by the grower, Mr. W. Orniston Roy, of Montreal, whose aim it is to make Canada famous as the home of the peony.

A special basket of the same flowers was escorted to Buckingham Palace by Mr. J. Roy, for presentation to the Queen.

## The King of Optimists

The crown for almost a year as an optimist in the face of disaster should go to a colored individual named Sam, who recently was thrown into jail.

His friend More had already predicted him in prison for stealing chickens. "How long you in jail for, Sam?" inquired More.

"Two weeks," answered Sam. "What an de charge?" "No charge, everything am free." "Ah, more, what you did?" "Done sh' my wife."

"You all killed you wife and only in jail for two weeks?" "This all—den I gite hang."

## Japs On Salvage Trip

Expert divers will leave Tokyo tomorrow to salvage the Japanese transport Yashiki Maru, sunk by the German U-boat Thurg. It had \$500,000 in bullion aboard.

The man with a swelled head doesn't usually suffer as much as those who are compelled to associate with him.

## New Zealand Exhibition

Canada Hopes to Derive Considerable Benefit From Taking Part

Canada's participation in the New Zealand and South Seas exhibition which is to be held at Dunedin, New Zealand, on November 1, 1925, to April 30, 1926, will show to advantage the productions of this country's resources and industries. The Canadian Government exhibition committee has contracted to let a 3,400 square feet of space in the best location on the exhibition ground, and will erect a very representative exhibit showing the natural resources and products of the Dominion and the attractiveness of this country as a place for tourists.

Plans for the design and lay-out of the Canadian exhibit have been prepared and will be carried out by J. O. Taroite, architect of the New Zealand Government exhibition committee, who will leave Ottawa for New Zealand about the end of the month. He is now returning from the British Empire exhibition, where he supervised the erection of the Canadian Pavilion and the elaborate designs and the plays connected with the different exhibits in the pavilion.

Canada stands to derive considerable benefit from taking part in this exhibition. When the international exhibition was held at Christchurch, New Zealand, in 1907, Canada took a prominent part and as a result trade with New Zealand was rapidly developed and a tariff was negotiated with New Zealand, valued at \$2,185,720, imports from New Zealand were \$2,811,925.

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## No Risk in Polar Flying

Only Means of Solving Scientific Problems Says Dr. Hugh Eckener

Dr. Hugh Eckener, director of the Zepppelin, who is preparing to fly the German Publishers' Association, declared that the only inconvenience and possible danger is from the cold, where the average summer temperature was zero.

"The Zepppelin represents an instrument capable of solving scientific problems which otherwise could not be solved," declared Dr. Eckener. "With an airship it is possible to determine definitely the land and water distribution of the North Pole, whether there are large stretches of land on the other side of the pole, the depth of the water, and if the pole is occupied by a shallow lake or deep ocean."

"The result of the observation will facilitate the drawing of important conclusions about ocean currents and meteorological relations. They will be of interest to every home draught, atmospheric electricity, the earth's magnetism and the phenomenon of polar lights."

## Cattle Space At Premium

Shortage of Space on Vessels for Cattle Shipments Is Reported

All available cattle space is occupied on eastbound vessels these days, and the trade is actually suffering from a shortage of space. It was stated at Ottawa by officials of the Canadian cattle trade that the situation was so serious that the Canadian Government was being asked to take steps to remedy the situation.

While more Canadian cattle are being shipped to the United States, the British shipping is tied up because of insufficient westbound cargo.

Officials of the department are of the opinion that the situation will be of interest to every home draught, atmospheric electricity, the earth's magnetism and the phenomenon of polar lights.

## Is Son Of Lord Chesham

Capt. Hon. Francis Ormond Henry Eaton Farms Two Sections of Land in Alberta

Captain Ormond Henry Eaton, who is farming two sections of land at Alta. Alta, is the oldest son of Lord Chesham, who was a member of the House of Commons, turning from the Bishop's school. Lord Chesham's heir has been farming the Happy Valley Ranch at Alta, since 1921, and he is now in Alberta on leave from the army.

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## Future of the Far North

Artic Will Some Day Be Under Practical Cultivation

Mr. Michael S. MacKay, F.R.S., F.G.S., F.Z.S., has travelled extensively in the far northern region of Canada, and in his new book, "The Arctic Future," he discusses the future of the white man in the Arctic region.

He denies the "fallacy" of supposing that the farther one goes north the less favorable do the conditions of life become, asserting that "the difficulties are not caused so much by the latitude by the remoteness from civilization and the consequent lack of transport."

Point is made of the fact that many of the north Canadian territories once treated as "back of beyond" are now occupied and under profitable cultivation.

Mr. MacKay says: "The world of today is scrambling to the muck like rats in a sewage bowl, while the new world in the globe holds out her arms to take in manhood, offering success for exploitation. In manhood there is a sturdy, hardy, and they are they to know of these wonders in store for them? How gladly they would do it they only knew!"

## Noble Game of Golf

Toronto Claims to Be Premier Golfing City in Canada

Toronto lays claim to being the premier golfing city in Canada. Enormous sums in popularity for the ancient and royal game are reported. It has been reported that where it is one of the city's most thriving industries—no longer is it a game, there is a big money in it. In 1913 there were approximately 3,000 golfers, but today there are nearly 16,000 active participants. It is said on authority that Toronto's annual golf bill now passes three million dollars.

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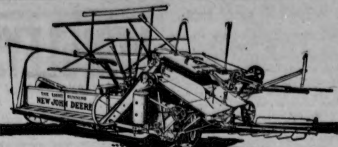
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## About Town and Country

All stores will be closed at 1 o'clock on Wednesday's during August.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Barbours and family left last Saturday for Taber, Alta., where they will spend a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thygesen motored to Calgary last Sunday. While in the city Mr. Thygesen will attend Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias and Mrs. Thygesen will attend Grand Lodge of the Pythian Sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dobbin and family returned to Oyen last Thursday after spending their summer vacation at Calgary and Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Whitlock and family left last Monday for Winnipeg, where they will spend their summer vacation. During Mr. Whitlock's absence from the local depot, Mr. R. J. Martin, will be in charge.

The first lambs to be shipped from Oyen left town last Thursday.

H. Lamont, of Monitor, was an Oyen visitor over the weekend.

W. M. Sanders of Lethbridge, was recent winner in the Edmonton Journal's competition for the best plan of developing Alberta's natural resources. Mr. Sanders was placed ninth, and his success is distinctly noteworthy in view of the fact that there were 105 entries, a number of leading engineers of the province being among the contestants.

James W. Wallis, O.D., Ophthalmologist and Eyesight Specialist, (of Calgary) will be at Alberta Hotel, Oyen, on Friday, August 7.

Mrs. H. J. Cooper and son Joseph arrived in town yesterday from Calgary to spend a short holiday here. Their parents are justly proud of his splendid school record, which shows that he averaged over 84 per cent for all subjects taken.

Trail Rangers and Tuxis Boys Camp at Loverna Lake

Thirty-eight Trail Rangers and Tuxis boys spent a week at Loverna Lake, north-west of Loverna, breaking camp last Thursday. Mrs. Long of Oyen acted as "m.c." and cook for the boys, who all appear to have had the jolliest of times. Boys were present from Brock, Dodsland, Millerdale, Marengo, Hoosier, Empress and other points, Oyen being represented by Carlyle England, Roy Sharp and Alexander Wright.

Each day the boys engaged in ball games, swimming etc. and on the last day of the camp had a grand field day. On the night of the 17th, a severe storm struck the camp and blew down the large tent and one of the smaller tents, and the night proved one of the thrills for all concerned. Everything was put in shape again in the morning however and the campers were favored with nice weather for the balance of their stay.

The Oyen contingent were transported to and from camp by Rev. C. R. Coocoran and Arthur Johnson.

Mr. W. Ostrander returned to Oyen this morning after a trip to Calgary, Edmonton and the coast.

Floyd Horn accompanied his brother Ralph to Calgary last Saturday, and the latter was operated on for appendicitis on Monday. He is reported to be making satisfactory progress.

S. E. Trewin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wisle motored to Consort last Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gouley of Hardisty (Mrs. Trewin's sister) who has been visiting for the past week in Oyen.

Miss B. Anderson of Stanmore was an Oyen visitor last week being the guest of her brother Arthur Anderson.

### The Fair Prize Winners (Continued from page 1)

—1st W. A. Bishop, 2nd D. Warwick.

#### Class 16 Beef

See 1, Cow born 1922 or prior—1st E. H. Church, 2nd J. D. Armistead.  
See 2, Calf born 1925—1st G. S. Peck, 2nd J. A. Armistead, 3rd Mrs. C. Ostrander.  
See 3, Heifer born 1923—1st W. T. A. Walker.  
See 4, Heifer born 1924—1st E. H. Church, 2nd J. D. Armistead.  
See 6, Steer born 1924—1st J. D. Armistead, 2nd E. H. Church.

#### Sheep

**Class 17 Any Sheep**  
See 3, Ewe any age—1st and 2nd G. S. Peck.  
See 4, Ewe lamb—1st and 2nd G. S. Peck.  
**Class 19 Oxford**  
See 2, Ram shearing—1st G. S. Peck.  
See 4, Ewe—1st G. S. Peck.  
See 5, Ewe shearing—1st G. S. Peck.  
See 6, Ewe lamb—1st and 2nd G. S. Peck.

#### Registered Swine

**Class 21 Yorkshires**  
See 1, Boar over 1 year—1st E. H. Davies.  
See 2, Brood sow over 1 year—1st E. H. Davies, 2nd Carron Bros.  
**Class 22 Berkshires**  
See 3, Sow 6 months or under—1st and 2nd J. Grey.  
See 4, Boar 6 months or under—1st R. A. Golden.  
**Class 24 Duroc Jersey**  
See 3, Sow 6 months or under—1st Clyde Stauffer.  
See 4, Boar 6 months or under—1st Clyde Stauffer.

#### Specials

Best team in harness—F. S. McNeae.  
Best mare—F. S. McNeae.  
Best mare and 2 of her progeny—1st J. Grey, 2nd G. S. Peck.  
1925 colt—1st F. S. McNeae, 2nd J. Grey.  
Best 3 calves sired by registered bull—1st J. D. Armistead, 2nd D. Warwick.  
Best dairy herd—1st D. Warwick, 2nd Mrs. T. C. Hess.  
Best hand fed calf, best type—1st E. H. Ostrander, 2nd J. A. Grey, 3rd Clifford Gilbertson, 4th A. R. Moore.  
Best hand fed calf, dairy type—1st Andrew Loes, 2nd W. A. Bishop, 3rd Ernest Warwick, 4th Rollo Hess.

A list of the prize winners in all classes, hall exhibits, will be published in our next issue.

A new serial commences in this issue "Baree, son of Kazan" by James Oliver Curwood. The story is a love epic of the far north.

S. L. Kline, who recently underwent an operation for cancer, returned from Calgary last week.

Look at your address label.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### Municipal District of Cereal No. 242 PUBLIC NOTICE

**Sale of Lands**  
As the following lands viz: N.E. 21-37-4-4, N.E. 9-27-4-4, N.E. 3-28-4-4, N.W. 3-27-4-4, S.W. 10-27-4-4, S.E. 24-27-4-4, S.W. 22-27-4-4, S.E. 23-29-4-4, S.E. 27-27-4-4 and the S.W. 17-37-4-4 have been forfeited to the Municipal District of Cereal No. 242 under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act of 1910. The municipality is prepared to sell these lands for cash or on reasonable terms. The municipality is prepared to give a clear title to these lands. For particulars apply to J. P. Kowach, Sec-Treas, Municipal District of Cereal, No. 242, Oyen, Alta., July 10, 1925.

## Here and There

That a new market has been found for Canadian lobsters, is shown by the report that twenty-five hundred cases of lobsters, valued at over \$75,000, were shipped to Sweden from Halifax, N.S., during the first week in July.

The gold mines of Northern Ontario are now realizing a greater profit of a million dollars a month, according to estimates compiled at Timmins, Ont. There was a gross income of \$2,550,000 during the month of June.

Six hundred and twenty-four families from Great Britain and other European countries settled in the West on 187,000 acres of land, sold in the final year ending May 31st, according to the records of the Canada Colonization Association.

Quebec is this year enjoying the greatest influx of tourists has known for a considerable time. Hundreds of motorists, the majority from the States, are camped in and around the city, and the Chateau Frontenac reports capacity bookings.

During his tour of Western Canada Field Marshal Earl Haig passed through the town on the Canadian Pacific Railway which was named for him several years ago. For the first time. The Field Marshal, on learning his connection with the town, looked no pleased as though he had just won another famous victory.

According to the report of the Department of Agriculture, livestock marketings in Canada during the past year were the best experienced for many years. There were 975,020 cattle, 355,179 calves, 3,094,291 hogs and 485,098 sheep marketed in 1924, as compared with 852,291, 215,822, 2,363,402 and 512,390 respectively in the previous year.

According to J. M. Gibson, secretary of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, who recently left Montreal for the West, the annual cross-country ride and pow-wow undertaken by that organization, is becoming as popular as that loved by the outdoors men of England and Australia are attending this year, in addition to the members from the United States and Canada.

The "Beatty Boys," four British youths, brought out here by E. W. Beatty, K.C., President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to study Canadian farm methods, arrived in Oyen on the "Montreal" this month. They are expert farmers selected by the Minister of Agriculture from the members of the Young Farmers' Club of Great Britain and will remain in Canada for two months as the guests of Mr. Beatty.

That elk, in the Panther River country, not far from Banff, are rapidly increasing in number and may possibly become a menace, is the opinion of Belmore Brown, an artist of New York who recently returned from a painting tour of the Rocky Mountains. Mr. Brown is regarded as an authority on wild life, and states that there are now, ten years from now, 10,000 elk in the district, unless steps are taken to decrease their numbers.

## At the Elevators.

	Wheat
1 Northern	1.28
2 Northern	1.25
3 Northern	1.19
4 C.W.	.88
5 C.W.	.84
No 1 Feed	.84

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Deering binder, 8 ft cut. Apply to Thos. Lees, Oyen, Alta.

FOR SALE—One McCormick binder, 8 ft cut. In good running order. Apply to E. H. Church, Oyen, Alta.

### LOST

LOST—From Oyen about two weeks ago, one 2-year old red heifer with white hind feet and under. Please advise J. Shields, Oyen, Alta.

Say you saw it in the News.

## Professional Cards

### MEDICAL

#### Oyen General Hospital

Mrs. R. E. Wilkinson  
Nurse

**Dr. H. C. Swartzlander**  
Physician and Surgeon,  
Oyen, Alberta

### CHIROPRACTIC

**Dr. JAMESON, CHIROPRACTOR**  
OF HANNA, ALBERTA.  
Registered and Licensed in Alberta  
NO KNIFE NO DRUGS  
Consultation Free  
Oyen, Wednesday and Thursday  
Office opposite Church of England

### DENTAL SURGEON

#### Dr. T. F. HOLT

Dental Surgeon  
Graduate of Toronto University  
Office with Dr. Swartzlander  
Out of Town Thursday, Friday and Saturday

### VETERINARY SURGEON

#### John P. Kerr

Veterinary Surgeon  
Graduate of Ontario  
Veterinary College,  
Oyen, Alberta

### BAKERS ETC.

#### J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.

Barrister, Solicitor and  
Notary Public  
Money to Loan  
Oyen, Alberta

#### W. V. Miller

Fire, Life, Accident, Automobile and Life Insurance.  
INSURERS  
U. G. & Securities Co. Ltd.  
Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.  
and other good companies.  
Hudson Bay Company, Land Dept.  
Notary Public

Oyen Lodge No. 16  
There will be a meeting in our "Cattle" Hall on August 13, 1925.  
E.D. Thygesen C. L. Dundas  
K.R.S. G.C.

French-Canadian agricultural experts, biologists, students and others, touring the country under the auspices of the University of Montreal express unanimous amazement at the agricultural development of British Columbia, the scenery of Alberta, the prairies of Manitoba, the beauties of Northern Ontario and the vastness of the country in general. A similar excursion left Toronto under the auspices of the Teachers' Federation of Canada also over Canadian Pacific lines, and will return the middle of August.